

**Three Americans Were Among the Competitors  
But All Got Poor Starts---Speed of Seventy-  
five Miles an Hour Was Attained  
by the Nerry German.**

at alarm was created by a report that Jarrott was killed. The withdrawal of Stocks from the race was not expected to influence the result, which is now generally believed to be between France and Germany, as Edge does unexpectedly well and Stand Hallyshannon. July 2. The man of the French team, starting the automobile race for the Gordon Bennett cup, at 3 minutes past 8 o'clock. Winton shored machine over the starting line at 15 minutes past eight, in order to check if he were able to effect repairs. Foxhall Keene was off last, at 17 o'clock, with a poor start. On had considerable difficulty with his car, but finally got away at amid loud cheering. It was thought likely he would be able

previously that Jarrott had been knocked out of the race by a serious accident at Stradbally. When the Baron passed the stand he slowed up and told the officials that the first reports of the accident had been exaggerated, and the Jarrott was not seriously hurt.

Farman started on his second lap at 11:09

De Kniff started on his third lap at 11:25, having overtaken Edge.

Keene was second, starting on his third lap at 11:35, having lost a good deal of ground.

Jenatay was third, starting of the third lap at 11:37.

Edge started on his third lap at 11:54 and Gebriel started on his third lap at 12:04.

The Kniff began his fourth lap at 11:40; Edge at 1:51 and De Cossart at 12:00.

### CHICAGO POLITICIANS UNDER INDICTMENT.

Chicago, July 2.—The grand jury has voted true bills against Alderman John J. Brennan, Herbert E. Kam, Charles A. McCauley, Hiram B. Sherman, Harry O'Donovan and John J. Jolley in connection with the sixteen ward election frauds. They are charged with conspiracy to induce persons unqualified to vote and conspiracy to hinder voters.

**SAILED FOR PUGET SOUND.**

San Francisco, July 2.—The Pacific squadron, commanded by Rear Admiral Glass, has sailed for Puget Sound, en route to Alaska. The squadron is composed of the New York, Birmingham, Marblehead and Concord.

**355 CASE CONTINUED.**

Cincinnati, July 2.—The case of Mrs. Anna Oppenheimer, charged with poisoning her infant child, was continued to July 20, today.

**MADE AMBASSADOR.**

Berlin, July 2.—The semi-official North German Gazette today announced that Baron Speck Von Sternberg had been definitely appointed ambassador of Germany at Washington.

## Sweep Sale Special.

Men's \$7.50 Flannel Suits at **\$4.75**



# They Come! They Look! They Buy!

That expresses the idea to the very point. People that come here looking for true bargains in Clothing and Footwear find them. They don't leave the store empty handed but are convinced that our

# SWEEP SALE

Is a genuine reduction sale. The delayed remodeling of our store has left us with an unusual large stock and we are determined to unload before fall. No goods charged or sent on approval during this sale.



Our store open tonight and Friday night, but will close at noon Saturday, July 4.

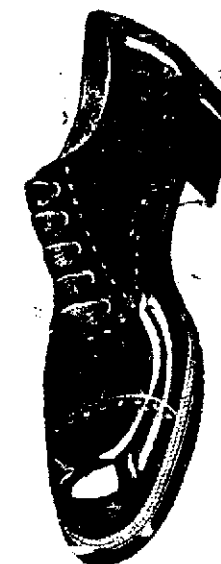
## Sweep Sale Specials.

Men's \$5 Nettleton Oxford and Shoes at **\$3.95**

Ralston's \$4 Shoes and Oxfords at **\$3.15**

Regent \$3.50 Shoes and Oxfords at **\$2.65**

All \$3 Shoes and Oxfords at **\$2.35**



## IRON TRADE SITUATION.

### Confidence of Continued Demand for Rails Inspired by Week's Events.

Cleveland, O., July 2.—The Iron Trade Review discussing market conditions in its current issue says: There is a better feeling in the iron trade, though without any particular change in the week in the volume of business placed. The large rail contracts of last week, the additional business done by western roads in the past week and the pending inquiries for rails, amounting to about 250,000 tons of standard sections, have inspired confidence in the continuance of demand from that source on a liberal scale for another year. Some improvement in the prospect for crops, as contained in reports from along important granger roads, has also helped to make sentiment in the iron trade. So far as specifications for the more important forms of finished material are concerned large producers report that there has been little if any difference in the past two months from the rate of preceding month. In the present year some mistaken influences had been made from the reports from the bookings of some of the important steel interests have appeared from

time to time. These indicated full employment of the capacity of the United States Steel Corporation, for example, until November of this year. Such estimates have been misleading in that in some cases though not in rails, they represented estimates of large consumers—builders of steel cars, for example—where as it was well known that specifications could not be forced from such buyers if their requirements were not up to the level of the estimates. That new business is not being placed in the volume of last year at this time is not significant as has been considered in some estimates. Consumption continues very heavy; the particular change that has come over the trade is that buyers are relieved of the necessity of looking so far ahead in arranging for their supply. So far as foundry pig iron is concerned, the situation is not changed except for some further settling in price. Buyers and sellers alike, are hunting for the level on which business can be done freely, but have not found it, and may not for some weeks.

## Woman's Nightmare

No woman's happiness can be complete without children; it is her nature to love and want them as much as it is to love the beautiful and pure. The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and danger, that the very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous. The use of **Mother's Friend** so prepares the system for the coming event that it is safely passed without any danger. This great and wonderful remedy is always applied externally, and has carried thousands of women through the trying crisis without suffering. Send for free book containing information of greatest value to all expectant mothers. The Standard Dispensary Co., Atlanta, Ga.

## Mother's Friend

### After Dinner

To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating or drinking too heartily, to prevent constipation, take

### Hood's Pills

Sold everywhere. 25 cents.

### REMAINS

Of Theodore Kissell Will Be Buried Tomorrow.

Services to Be Held at Bennett's Parlors — Interment Will Be Made in Gethsemani.

The funeral of Theodore Kissell, who was fatally scalded in the rotary mill at the American Strawboard works yesterday morning and who died in the city hospital yesterday afternoon, will be held from the parlors of Bennett's undertaking establishment at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The services will be conducted by the Rev. A. E. Manning, pastor of St. Rose church and the remains will be interred in Gethsemani cemetery. The deceased was a former resident of Delphos.

### Monday, July 6th

We will inaugurate the Greatest Clearance Sale of Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Crockery and Glassware, Lamps, etc., ever given in Lima. Don't miss this sale; wait for it. Save up your money; it will pay you to do it. F. E. HARMAN. 213 and 215 north Main street.

If You Have Headaches don't experiment with alleged cures. Buy Krause's Headache Capsules, which will cure any headache in half an hour, no matter what causes it. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Melville, druggist, old postoffice corner.

### CIVIL SERVICE CASES.

Mobile, Ala., July 2.—Orders have been received from Washington dismissing from the service employees of the general postoffice on charges of violations of the civil service rules. What the specific charges are is not known.

### CHOCOLATE CHIPS.

Beat you ever ate, several kinds—we make them—special sale, 25c per pound—less than wholesale price. F. E. HARMAN. 213

## SOCIETY and the CLUBS.

Saturday, Miss Gertrude Finley gave a pretty June luncheon, honoring her guest, Miss Francis Sullivan, of Manchester, N. H. The Arion Trio played the newest airs while the thirty-two guests, at small tables daintily arranged with sweet peas and beautiful place cards, enjoyed six delicious courses of summer dainties. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. John Woolson, of Beaver, Pa.; the Misses Cover, of Ottawa, Mrs. Bolger and Miss Scott, of New York. Mr. Harry Cline entertained Ed. Lappin, Ralph Cline, Virgil Kinsley, Dwight and Donald Wyre at dinner. Sunday, Miss Halsee Hutchison gave a daintily appointed luncheon Saturday, in honor of Mrs. David A. Harlan, of Middletown, and Mrs. Ralph McClintock, of Pueblo, Colo. The Bridge Whist club met Saturday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Griffin. Miss Maize was the only guest, substituting. Oak Hall was the scene of a pretty little company, Saturday, when Gladys Baxter entertained at five o'clock tea. Misses Clarisse and Adelaide Annatt, of Wooster. In the evening Mrs. M. C. Baxter, and Mrs. A. T. McDonald took them all to McBeth Park. Monday afternoon, Mrs. David Harlan and Mrs. Ralph McClintock were the honor guests at a pretty function, a card party given by their sister, Miss Medora Freeman. The parlors were decked with field daisies, and nine tables filled with lovers of euchre. In the progression Mrs. Joachim, received the trophy, a handsome plate. Miss Halsee Hutchison leaves Monday for Philadelphia, where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. VanDyke. Tuesday morning Miss Nannie Francis, of south West street, welcomed to her home about twenty ladies, who, through the cool hours, played progressive euchre in rooms fragrant with their lovely decorations of wild roses, and pink and white clover. After the interesting game came the awarding of prize, a dainty lunch cloth, the work of the young hostess. This was won by Mrs. Harry Moulton. Following cards the tables were arranged for luncheon, a cluster of sweet peas filling the centre of each. The Bridge Whist club will meet next Saturday with Mrs. C. F. Lufkin. The Assembly hop on Monday evening at McBeth's was a good beginning for a merry week, there being a large number in attendance. Miss Sullivan, of Manchester, N. H., and Miss Humphreys, of Sioux City, Iowa, were invited guests. Tuesday evening was an ideal one for a porch party, and Miss Minerva Bluem invited quite a number of the young society boys and girls to spend the hours at her home. The beautiful home was very effective as a background for the artistic decorations on the porch. Gaily colored Japanese lanterns swung over head and bunches of red and pink roses were placed amid palms and fern. A music box kept up a soft accompaniment to the merry conversation. Miss Campbell served frappe out of doors, and then later a dainty lunch was enjoyed. The out-of-town guests were Clarissa and Adelaide Annatt, of Wooster; Genevieve Scott, of New York, and Helen Russell, of Chicago. During the happy hours, piano music was enjoyed and Miss Campbell sang several pleasing numbers.

### Special Sale

Of Furniture, Carpets, Curtains and Portiers, WILL BEGIN MONDAY, JULY 6TH, and last during the month. We want to reduce stock as we will revise and remodel every department in this store, during July and August. Cost will cut no figure. Don't fail to attend this sale, it will be a money saver. F. E. HARMAN. 213

We Close all Day July 4th. F. E. HARMAN.

### FISCAL YEAR THE HEAVIEST.

New York, July 2.—Importations of precious stones to this port, the fiscal year, just ended, was the heaviest on record, having reached a total of more than \$73,200,000.

### CHOCOLATE CHIPS.

Best you ever ate, several kinds—we make them—special sale, 25c per pound—less than wholesale price. F. E. HARMAN. 213

### PAINTERS' ORGANIZE.

Fourteen of the prominent painters met last night, and took the preliminary steps necessary to organizing a branch of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers. They will meet next Thursday for the election of officers, and to effect a permanent organization.

### BIG SUM HANDLED.

New York, July 2.—During the fiscal year, just ended, the money order department of the New York postoffice, handled the sum of \$118,212,000. This is an increase over the previous year, of \$61,200,000.



## DOWN!

You who've been hanging back, waiting for price punctures, you who've been trying to brave it out with last Summer's Oxfords, here's your Low Shoe opportunity. For Tomorrow down go the prices with a thud. \$1.48, \$1.88, \$2.45, and so on, will buy Oxfords at

## Wise's Shoe Store.

Southeast Corner Public Square.



**NEW**  
Scrape Gotten Into  
by the People of  
Second Street.

**Sam Schultz Sells His  
Blacksmith Shop.**

**Winchester Gun Club Will  
Shoot on the Fourth  
of July.**

**Ball Game on the West Side. Mrs.  
Strasbourg, of Reece Avenue,  
Has a Severe Fall.**  
**Personals.**

The people living near the corner  
of Second street and St. Johns  
were agreeably surprised this  
morning when the street grader ap-  
peared and it was seen that the much  
needed improvement of the street at  
this corner was about to take place.  
This is just the kind of a  
scrape that the people have been  
waiting to get into, out there as  
there has been one wagon a day stuck  
in the mud on that corner all during  
the past six months. Next to paving,  
it is the best thing that could hap-  
pen.

**Dear Me! Another Mistake.**  
It is hoped that no one will be mis-  
led by the garbled announcement of  
the Gazette this morning about the  
Winchester Gun Club meet to be held  
on the Fourth of July. Charles Mon-  
roe is a good shot but neither he nor  
any one else could run up a very high  
score in the target. The hour is one  
which is sharp.

**Ball Game.**  
The Pirates have won two straight  
games now and are prepared to  
meet all comers. On the morning of  
the Fourth at 9:30 on the west side  
grounds they will play the west end  
team.

**Another Social.**  
The Junior Endeavor of the south  
Christian church held an ice  
cream social at the home of Rev.  
James corner Pine and Franklin  
streets. A pleasant evening was  
spent by all present.

**A Bad Fall.**  
Mrs. Strasbourg of 227 Reece ave-  
nue, suffered a painful accident last  
evening. She was carrying a pail of  
water when she slipped and fell  
backwards. Dr. Rudy was summoned  
and made her as comfortable as pos-  
sible. She was held in considerable  
pain but thought that a rib was frac-  
tured.

**Spinal Meningitis.**  
Last evening Dan the Hero adopted  
by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hess of  
the last corner street passed away  
after an illness of two weeks. He  
was the son of Mrs. Hess's sister Mrs.  
Gunn Hinkle but was adopted by Mr.



Physicians are calling attention to the  
fact that influenza or grip has come to  
stay. In the larger cities there has been  
a marked increase in diseases affecting  
the organs of respiration, which increase  
is attributed to the prevalence of influ-  
enza. Persons who are recovering from  
grip or influenza are in a weak condition  
and peculiarly liable to pulmonary dis-  
ease.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery  
cures coughs, bronchitis, lung "trouble"  
and other diseases of the organs of res-  
piration. It is the best tonic medicine  
for those whose strength and vitality  
have been exhausted by an attack of grip.  
It purifies the blood, cleansing it of  
the poisonous accumulations which breed  
and feed disease. It gives increased ac-  
tivity to the blood-making glands, and  
so increases the supply of pure blood,  
rich with the red corpuscles of health.

"A word for your 'Golden Medical Dis-  
covery,'" writes Mrs. E. A. Bender of Keene,  
Concho Co. Ohio. "We have been using it  
as a family medicine for more than four years.  
As a cough remedy and blood purifier there is  
nothing better and after having the grip Dr.  
Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is just the  
right medicine for a complete bracing up."

Accept no substitute for "Golden Medi-  
cal Discovery." There is nothing "just  
as good" for diseases of the stomach,  
blood, and lungs.

The sluggish liver is made active by  
the use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

and Mrs. Hess some time ago. Spinal  
meningitis was the disease which took  
him from them. He was 3 months  
and 22 days old. The funeral was held  
at the house this afternoon at 4  
o'clock, Rev. Curry, of the south main  
street Presbyterian church, and Rev.  
I. N. Thomas officiating. The re-  
mains were interred in Woodlawn  
cemetery.

**Election of Officers.**  
Yesterday afternoon the Ladies  
Auxiliary of the south Lima Baptist  
church met with Mrs. Williams on  
south Pine street and held their semi-  
annual election of officers. The fol-  
lowing were elected: President, Mrs.  
John Bradrick; vice president, Mrs. V.  
Alexander; recording secretary,  
Mrs. J. S. Sparling; financial sec-  
retary, Mrs. H. Rubie; treasurer, Mrs.  
D. Appleton.

**Changed Hands.**  
S. R. Schurz has sold his black-  
smith shop on St. Johns avenue to  
William Dilts formerly of east Elm  
street.

**Vacation Trip.**  
Mrs. B. M. Padon and two daughters,  
Bertha and Ethel have gone to Chi-  
cago to spend a part of the summer  
with her oldest daughter, Mrs. John  
McElroy, of Woodlawn Park. Mrs.  
Bertha will remain and assist her sister  
in the management of a dress-  
making and millinery establishment.

**Fourth of July Shoot.**  
The Winchester Gun Club will not  
hold its regular shoot on Friday of  
this week but there will be a shoot  
on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.  
This will be simply a local event but  
the entries will be quite large and so  
a prompt attendance will be in order.

**An Interesting Trip.**  
Harman Dobbs, formerly of Reece  
avenue, has just returned from a trip

of several months, through Canada.  
During his trip, he visited Toronto,  
Montreal and all the interesting coun-  
try, taking more than 5,000 photo-  
graphs. He has some interesting  
stories to tell about the sights that  
he saw and the experiences that he  
had while in the "back country." Mr.  
Dobbs' intention is to remain here for  
a few weeks, and then to go out again  
with his camera. His destination this  
time will probably be Iowa.

**A Removal.**  
Palmer Bros have removed their  
cigar factory from the Crumrine block  
on south Main street, to make room  
for the new branch postoffice which  
south Lima is soon to have. The barn  
is the rear of Dr. Rudy's residence  
has been prepared for the reception of  
the cigar factory, and Palmer Bros  
now have much more comfortable and  
convenient quarters, than before, as a  
great deal more light is to be had in  
their present situation.

The meetings at the tent on St.  
Johns avenue, are attracting good  
crowds. Good music is one of the at-  
tractions, also the impressive work of  
Rev. and Mrs. Ikes, intended mission-  
aries to India.

**Personals.**  
I. J. Schrider has removed from  
south Pine street to 824 St. Johns ave-  
nue.

Mrs. Cassie Wheeler of Urbana, Ill.,  
is a guest at the home of her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. John Brice, of 222 east  
Vine street.

E. I. Fenwick is treating his resi-  
dence on Madison avenue to a coat  
of fresh paint.

John Gray, of east Vine street, was  
in Beaver Dam today, repairing a gas  
engine.

W. H. Safford has resigned his posi-  
tion with the city water works to ac-  
cept another with the Golley & Finley  
boiler works.

Matt Mahan of east Third street,  
who has been dangerously ill for the  
past three weeks with pleurisy and  
pneumonia is now able to sit up.

J. C. Armstrong has left the employ-  
of the Eagle State Company to ac-  
cept a position at the Solar Refractory.  
Roy Schrider of St. Johns avenue  
who has been suffering from an at-  
tack of appendicitis may yet have to  
undergo an operation.

Mrs. George McGuire and two sons  
will return to their home in Milwaukee  
tomorrow. They have been here at-  
tending the funeral of Mrs. William  
McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Will White, of Toxin  
Ind. arrived this morning to attend  
the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Dan  
Fetter. Mr. and Mrs. Kirby White of  
Harrod are also here for the same  
purpose.

Mr. Frank Keller, of Pennsylvania  
is the guest of his brother, Charlie  
Keller, of 611 south Central avenue.  
Howard Snyder of south Main  
street was taken to the hospital last  
evening to be operated on for abdominal  
trouble.

Mrs. Harry Miller of east Kibby  
street has gone to Lancaster to visit  
her son who is in the Boys Reforma-  
tory, there.

F. L. Kraft Jr. was a Toledo yes-  
terday on business.

Elmer Barth announces that he will  
keep his meat market open all day  
Saturday. Along with this announce-  
ment comes the rumor that the meat  
store will also be open all day on  
the Fourth.

Chas. North of Cleveland is in

this city, representing the Chamber-  
lain Cartridge Co. Mr. North's brother  
or is the man who brought about the  
recent International Gun shoot, be-  
tween marksmen of England and  
America.

Mrs. Jonathan Bechtel, of Elida, is  
a guest at the home of her daughter,  
Mrs. Alice Morris, corner Kibby and  
Metcalf streets.

Miss Sarah Mill, of Delphos, is visit-  
ing her brother, J. E. Mill, of east  
Vine street, and other relatives in the  
city.

James Huffman and wife, have been  
paying a brief visit to her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. Henry Hubert, of Bryan, Ind.  
Mrs. John Kelley, of Greersville,  
Knox county, is visiting her son Pat-  
rick Kelley, at 373 St. Johns avenue.

## IN DEFIANCE OF GUILBERT.

**Cuyahoga County Auditor Increases  
Taxes of Five Public Ser-  
vice Corporations.**

Cleveland July 2.—Mayor Johnson's  
fight to compel large corporations to  
pay additional taxes was re-opened  
when County Auditor Wright an-  
nounced that he had added \$2,787,251  
to the collectible tax of five pub-  
lic service corporations. The corpora-  
tions involved are the Cleveland  
Electrical Railway Co., the Cleveland  
City Electric Railway Co., the Cleve-  
land Electric Illuminating Co., the  
Cleveland Gas Light and Coke Co.  
and the People's Gas Light Co. The  
action of the county auditor was taken  
in defiance of the recent instructions  
issued by State Auditor Guilbert.

## GRIEVANCE OF PRESBYTERIANS

**Of the Congo Free State Are Sub-  
mitted to the State Depart-  
ment in Washington.**

Washington July 2.—Because Pres-  
byterians in the Congo Free State  
claim they do not enjoy all the re-  
ligious liberty coming to them under  
the provisions of the Berlin treaty,  
Representative Livingstone of Georgia,  
and other representative Presbyter-  
ians called at the state department  
and left a statement of the facts with  
the request that the Washington gov-  
ernment take up the matter with Bel-  
gium and call her attention to the re-  
ported violation of the Berlin treaty.  
The course of the department is not  
yet indicated.

## INVENTOR OF THE SCYTHE.

In rummaging among old papers a  
Lynn gentleman has discovered the  
complete pattern of the American  
scythe which was invented two and a  
half centuries ago by Joseph Jencks  
an ironworker of Saugus, Mass. The  
invention of the scythe says the Bos-  
ton Record is referred to in Lefts and  
Newall's "History of Lynn."  
This scythe took the place of the  
English bushwhacker's scythe made  
of a piece of thin steel about eighteen  
inches long and three inches wide.  
Jencks more than doubled the length  
of the scythe reduced its width to one  
and one-half inches and stiffened it  
by welding a square bar on the back.  
The patent was by an enactment of  
the Massachusetts general court as  
follows:  
May 23, 1667. It is ordered that  
Joseph Jencks son and his assigns  
only, shall have liberty granted to  
them to make that engine the said  
Jencks hath proposed to this court  
for the more speedy cutting of grass  
for seven years, and that no inhabi-  
tant or other person within this ju-  
risdiction during that time shall make  
or use any of that kind of engine with-  
out license first obtained from the said  
Joseph Jencks, on the penalty of five  
pounds for every such engine so made  
or used, to be recovered at any court  
in this jurisdiction by the said Joseph  
Jencks son, or his assigns. "—  
Youth's Companion.

## A RETROSPECTIVE WISH.

Mr. James Whitcomb Riley is said  
to be not at all selfish with his own li-  
terary work, and often tells, socially,  
an excellent story which does not  
thereafter appear in any form in his  
own literary work.  
"Two country boys" Mr. Riley said  
not long ago "were called from their  
grief over a dead playmate—a favorite  
dog—to eat their noonday meal. It was  
a chicken dinner, which the boys  
enjoyed with subdued gusto, until the  
wish-bone was reached. Then the  
two boys broke the wish bone solemnly,  
and the boy who got the longest  
piece was asked to tell what he had  
wished.  
"He said, 'I jus' wished of' Dick  
hadn't a-died.'—Youth's Companion.

## BATHING IS FINE AT JOHNSON'S

SWIM.

# Men's Business, Outing and Vacation CLOTHING.



A splendid gathering of the best ex-  
amples of the  
**Tailors Art.**

Every fashionable fabric and up-to-date style is  
shown. Never was a stock so attractive and com-  
plete. Never were prices so temptingly low as  
here. Every garment we sell will hold its shape  
because it is tailored, not merely sewed up. We  
assure the greatest degree of satisfaction in every  
purchase made.

These stylish TWO PIECE SUITS are a combi-  
nation of style and comfort; every little breeze  
that blows goes through them.

**\$5. \$6. \$8. \$10. \$12. \$15.**

**SUMMER FURNISHINGS**—Negligee Shirts,  
Mohair Shirts, French Flannel Shirts, Underwear,  
Neckwear, Low Collars, Fancy Hosiery, etc., etc.

**PANAMA HATS.**

Large line of Children's Wash Suits and Knee  
Pants. Everything new at

**MORRIS BROS.** 217 N. Main  
Street,  
LIMA, OHIO.

Store will be open tonight and Friday night and closed Saturday at noon.

Leaves LIMA 11:30 P. M.  
Arrives BUFFALO 10:55 A. M.  
New Train Via Erie Railroad,  
SLEEPERS, COACHES,  
CAFÉ CAR THROUGH,  
Phone 10 for Sleeping  
Car space 15 301

## SHARPSHOOTERS, ATTENTION!

There will be a meeting at Morris-  
sons cigar store on Thursday evening  
at half past seven o'clock for the pur-  
pose of effecting the organization of a  
Citizens Rifle Club. The United  
government supplies a limited number  
of regulation rifles and supply of am-  
munition to such clubs free of cost.  
All interested are cordially invited to  
be present.

## Valuable Time Saved.

Slight injuries often disable a man  
and cause several days loss of time  
and when blood poisoning develops  
sometimes result in the loss of hand  
or limb. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is  
an antiseptic liniment. When applied  
to cuts, bruises and burns, it causes  
them to heal quickly and without  
maturation and prevents any danger  
of blood poisoning. For sale by Wm. M.  
Melville old postoffice corner.

## TO BOSTON AT LOW FARE VIA PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

July 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th, account  
National Educational Association  
meeting. For particulars consult  
local ticket agent or Pennsylvania  
lines.

**Krause's Headache Capsules**  
were the first headache capsule met  
on the market. The immediate suc-  
cess resulted in a host of imitations  
containing antipyrine, chloroform,  
phenol and other injurious drugs, pur-  
porting to be just as good. Avoid  
these imitations and insist on your  
having Krause's which speedily cure  
the most severe cases and leave no  
bad after effects. Price 25c. Sold by  
W. M. Melville old postoffice corner.

## What He Had Belonged To.

Tired Tommy—Didn't youse belong  
to the Woodworkers' union when  
youse was a workin'?

Resting Rastus—Nah! I belonged to  
the Wouldn'tworkers union—Balti-  
more American.

**Very Remarkable Cure of Diarrhoea.**  
"About six years ago for the first  
time in my life I had a sudden and se-  
vere attack of diarrhoea," says Mrs.  
Alice Miller of Morgan Texas. "I  
got temporary relief but it came back  
again and again and for six long  
years I have suffered more misery and  
agony than I can tell. It was worse  
than death. My husband spent hun-  
dreds of dollars for physicians' pres-  
criptions and treatment without avail.  
Finally we moved to Bosque county  
our present home, and one day I hap-  
pened to see an advertisement of  
Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diar-  
rhoea Remedy with a testimonial of a  
man who had been cured by it. The  
case was so similar to my own that I  
concluded to try the remedy. The  
result was wonderful. I could hardly  
realize that I was well again, or believe  
it could be so after having suffered so  
long, but that one bottle of medicine  
costing but a few cents cured me."  
For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post-  
office corner.

## Filled the Order.

"Say, you!" exclaimed the indignant  
citizen, "this horse you sold me is  
crazy—stark, raving crazy, sir!"

"Well," blandly replied the horse  
trader, "ain't that what you wanted?  
Didn't you ask me for a nice buggy  
horse?"—Baltimore News.

RELIABLE GOODS HONEST DEALINGS AND LOW PRICES  
**FELTZ  
BROS  
&  
C**  
TRADE

Saturday, July 4th, being a legal holi-  
day, this store will be closed all day.  
Therefore we call your special attention to  
the following seasonable offerings, and ad-  
vise all to do their usual Saturday's shop-  
ping tomorrow.

# WASH GOODS.

One lot choice Dimities, in dark and light effects; usually  
sold at 10 cents a yard.

**Our price, 5c a yard.**

One lot fine Batistes and Dimities, choice patterns in stripes  
and figures, worth 15c and 18c a yard.

**Our price, 12 1/2c a yard.**

All our Embroidered Pineapples—a very choice and desirable  
material—worth 25c a yard.

**Our price, 18c a yard.**

30 inch fine Corded Chambray, worth 18c a yard.

**Our price, 12 1/2c a yard.**

Splendid values in India Linons at 7 1/2c, 8 1/2c, 10c, 11c, 12 1/2c, 1 1/2c  
and 25c a yard.

## SPECIAL.

A large American Flag, size 5 feet by 8 feet,  
made of good bunting, fast colors, worth \$1.75  
each. This lot goes at the

**Special price of \$1.00 each.**

## HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS.

Lake Erie and Western railroad will  
sell for the Fourth of July, excursion  
tickets between stations on its own  
and connecting lines, at the very low  
rate of one fare for the round trip.  
Tickets will be sold on July 3rd and  
4th, 1903, good returning up to and  
including July 6th 1903. For general  
information, call on any ticket agent,  
or address,  
H. J. RHEIN, G. P. A.,  
Indianapolis, Ind.

2-11

Get a free sample of Chamberlain's  
Stomach and Liver Tablets at Wm. M.  
Melville's drug store. They are  
easier to take and more pleasant in  
effect than pills. Take their use is  
not followed by constipation as is  
often the case with pills. Regular  
size, 25c per box.

**\$8.40** Chautauqua Lake  
and Return.

**ERIE RAILROAD.**

July 3 and 24.

**TOOK FOUR CARS.**

San Francisco, July 2.—Wrong  
Kalkish, the Chinese commissioner to  
the St. Louis exposition, left last  
night for St. Louis, with his family,  
secretaries, artists, artisans and ser-  
vants. A special train of four cars  
carried the party.

Red and black raspberries at  
Smith's. 22-21

**Save Money  
for the Fourth.**

In proportion to the daily growth of the number of people who have  
attended this sale, so the bargains have been growing in value and merit.  
Better goods are sold at lower prices, to replace the cheaper lots sold out.  
There never has been or ever will be an equal to this sale.

This week we will save you enough money on your purchases of Cloth-  
ing, Shirts, Underwear, Hats, shoes, etc., to furnish you a good time on the  
Fourth. Consider this when you start out to buy.

Store will be open till 11 o'clock Friday evening, but closes at 12  
o'clock noon, on Saturday

**J. E. JETER,**  
MANAGER OF

**The Union's Forced Bargain Sale**

We have just received a choice new line of Dainty and Sheer

WASH  
GOODS.

The most select things of the season.

Fresh  
and  
New.

The entire line will be sold at prices that will please you.

See the Line

before making your purchase.

MORE

NEW WAISTS!

A Choice line to select from,  
for only 89c.

You know their value, or many of you do: those that don't should come and see. They are worth looking after.

Our new Fall line of  
Carpets  
and Rugs

are here, ready for your inspection. They were bought before the advance in price, consequently your gain.

Prices guaranteed the lowest. See the line.

R. T. GREGG & CO.

This store will be closed all day  
Saturday, July 4th.

# The Most Startling Event of All!

It didn't take the people long to quickly grasp the startling offer made by the Mammoth, and now the sale of Suits is on in full swing. Do you realize the immensity of it? Think of these excessive reductions right now when the Summer season is just commencing.

## For the Glorious Fourth

Get a real Donegal Homespun Outing Suit, the proper thing for summer wear, and brought down within the reach of the most economical buyers. You see this famous cloth advertised in all the large cities at \$12, \$15 and \$18 the Suit. We are selling these Suits at \$8.85, and you should not fail to see 'em.

### A WORD IN SEASON! TAKE HEED!

Buy now, while this unusual bargain presents itself. It means good Clothes for less than the price of the cheap sort. We do not offer a cheap Suit at any of the following prices, but strictly high grade garments of the famous BLACK & COMPANY, Rochester, make. Our entire Suit stock is divided up into three lines as follows:

**\$5.85** For every Suit in the house that formerly sold up to \$10. Absolutely all wool cloths, finely trimmed with good quality Serge and Italian Cloth linings, and last, but not least, our guarantee accompanies every sale. Remember, every Suit that formerly sold up to \$10, at

**\$5.85.**

**\$8.85** For our entire stock of Men's Suits that formerly sold up to \$15. No reserve. The choicest styles, the most superb tailored Suits ever sold in Lima, bearing the Black & Company label. Bear in mind, all Suits that sold up to \$15, at

**\$8.85.**

**\$11.85** For your unrestricted choice of any Suit in the store. Pay no more for the best Suits in Lima, for unhesitatingly we say that our Best Suits are the finest that money can buy.

**\$11.85.**

Think of buying the equal of the best tailored Suits for \$11.85, but that is exactly what you can do here. Fix this fact upon your memory, that any Suit in the Mammoth store can be bought during the period of this offer, no matter how fine or how valuable, for \$11.85.

**NOTE**—The Mammoth Store will close Saturday, July 4th, at 12 o'clock noon. We will be open Thursday and Friday nights.

# THE MAMMOTH.

## THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT.

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### THE WEATHER.

Washington July 2—For Ohio  
Fair tonight and Friday except show-  
ers Friday alone the lakes

### DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Representative,  
JOHN W. MANGUS,  
of Richland Township

For Sheriff,  
EUGENE J. BARR,  
of Lima

For Treasurer,  
MINOR C. CROSSLEY,  
of Lima.

For Commissioner,  
ALEXANDER L. CONRAD,  
of Bluffton.

For Surveyor,  
CHARLES E. CRAIG,  
of Monroe Township

For Coroner,  
DR. ANDREW W. BICE,  
of Lima.

For Infirmary Director,  
C. H. MOSIER,  
of Marion Township.

If the tax on sugarcane for the pur-  
pose of reserving the use of streets to  
automobiles?

For the first time this year, the  
mercury stands high enough to be on  
a level with the lower end of an abbre-  
viated bathing suit

A vehicle tax is a popular evil in  
Ohio, has issued a set of figures which  
effective Liverymen and like associa-  
tions should bear in mind, the politi-  
cal complexion of the legislature, that  
hoisted it one them

The bookkeeper for the administra-  
tion, has issued a set of figures which  
show that for the fiscal year ending  
June 30 the receipts of the govern-

ment exceeded the expenditures \$52  
700.6. This in itself is a reason-  
ably good argument for the reduc-  
tion of the tariff

There is a long felt want—a man or  
men with money who will put a good  
baseball team into this city. The  
want has been absent since 1889, but  
there is so much enthusiasm over the  
amateur games, that a professional  
team could not help being a financial  
winner.

### HAS GREAT SUPPORT.

It must be encouraging to Congress-  
man William Randolph Hearst to  
have the unanimous and enthusiastic  
support of Editor William Randolph  
Hearst, of the San Francisco Examiner,  
New York Journal and Chicago  
American. Such an unanimity is  
simply great. It shows the the as-  
tute editor appreciates the sterling  
qualities and ripe state of mind of the  
learned congressman—Toledo News  
Ree

### THE MARKETS.

#### Live Stock.

Chicago July 2—Cattle receipts  
9,000. Market slow. Good to prime  
steers \$4.90@5.50, poor to medium  
\$4.25@4.80, stockers and feeders  
\$2.75@4.75, cows \$1.50, heifers  
\$2.25@4.75, canners \$1.50@2.50  
bulls \$2.25@4.25, calves \$2.50@3.50,  
Texas fed steers \$3.50@4.50

Hogs receipts today 19,000, tomor-  
row 15,000, left over 2,425. Market  
steady to 5 cents higher. Mixed and  
butchers \$5.70@5.95, good to choice  
heavy \$5.80@5.90, rough heavy \$5.55  
@5.75, light \$5.75@5.85, bulk of  
sales \$5.80@5.90

Sheep receipts 11,000, sheep and  
lambs slow. Good to choice wethers  
\$3.75@4.50, fair to choice mixed \$3  
@3.75, native lambs \$4.00@4.60

#### Grain and Provision.

Chicago July 2—Close wheat July  
75½, old 75 5/8, Sept 74¾, old 75 1/8,  
Dec 74 5/8, old 75 1/4, May 76¾,  
Corn—July 49½, Sept 49¾, ec  
48 5/8, May 48 1/4  
Oats—July 39 1/4, Sept 33¾, ec  
Dec 34 1/8, May 35¾  
Pork—July 15 60, Sept 15 90  
Lard—July 8 17½, Sept 8 40@  
8 42½, Oct 8 27½, Dec 8 85  
Ribs—July and Sept 9 90, Oct 9 80,  
Ribs—July 50, Sept 50

Scald head is an eczema of the  
can be cured Doan's Ointment, quick  
and permanent in its results. At any  
scalp—very severe sometimes, but it  
drug store, 50 cents

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Ed. Lipsett and son Boyd, of Ft  
Wayne are visiting relatives over the  
Fourth

Charles Curtis will spend the  
Fourth with his brother Ed, of Toledo  
Hon. Thomas Berry, of Van Wert  
was in the city yesterday, the guest of  
Mr. C. D. Crites

Mr. Charles Murdock, one of the  
leading capitalists of Lafayette, Ind.,  
was the guest of J. D. S. Neely today.

Vernie Kibby, cashier of the Ohio  
National bank, is seriously ill

Miss Blanche Ashton, of Spencer-  
ville, is the guest of her grandmother,  
Mrs. Ashton of west Spring street

Miss William McGuire, of Milwan-  
kee is visiting her parents Mr and  
Mrs H. A. Holdridge

Miss Florence McCannon, of Mt  
Gilead, O., is visiting her aunt Mrs  
George Newson

Miss Lenora Thurn returned to her  
home in Dayton today, after a pleas-  
ant visit with numerous Lima friends

Miss James Smith and daughter,  
leave today for Zanesville, to make  
an extended visit

Hon. C. P. Waldorf of Toledo spent  
yesterday and today in Lima.

John Engle, of Ft Wayne is the  
guest of his parents, Mr and Mrs A.  
Eagle of east High street.

J. F. Shill, was the guest of his  
brother in Botkins, last night

Mr Joseph DeGrief and little son,  
of Zanesfield Logan county are the  
guests of Mr and Mrs Sam Collins,  
of the Collins block.

F-1-s-h at Townsend's.

No need to fear sudden attacks of  
cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea  
or summer complaint, if you have Dr  
Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry  
in the medicine chest

Do you go to bed tired, get up tired,  
feel tired throughout the day? It's  
the waste of bodily tissue that is ex-  
ceeding the supply. Hagee's Cordial  
not only stops the waste, but repairs  
the damage and supplies new, healthy,  
vigorous tissue. Pleasant to take

Wanted—One hundred ladies with  
pimples, blackheads, nasty complex-  
ions, to take Rocky Mountain Tea, and  
have a beautiful face, bright eyes,  
sweet breath

For sale by H. F. Vorkamp, corner  
North and Main streets.

F-1-s-h at Townsend's.

## BIG DEFICIT IN P. O. DEPARTMENT.

Auditor of the Treasury Issues Statement  
Showing Expenditures Exceed  
Receipts \$4,617,203.

Washington, July 2—Captain Castle,  
the auditor of the treasury for the  
postoffice department today made the  
official estimate that the postal de-  
ficiency for the fiscal year just closed,  
will be \$4,617,203. The deficit for the  
previous fiscal year was \$2,961  
1.0. This big increase is attributed  
to the enormous increase in expendi-  
tures for the rural free delivery ser-  
vice during the past year. The re-

## PROPERTY OF AMERICANS

Will Be Seized and Sold to Satisfy  
Educational Tax Claims.

London, July 2—The first foreigners  
to join the "Passive Resistance"  
movement against the education act  
are two American tax payers, living  
at Wimbledon, the Rev. R. W. Par-  
quhar, formerly a pastor of Portland,

Small Losses.  
New York, July 2—Small fractional  
losses were made on opening transac-  
tions. None of the changes exceeded  
½, and the offerings were light. A  
few specialties showed slight gains,  
but the general tone was easy

Evidence is ample to prove that the  
most beautiful women in the world  
are Americans, 90 per cent owe their  
beauty to the use of Rocky Mountain  
Tea.

For sale by H. F. Vorkamp, corner  
North and Main streets.

F-1-s-h at Townsend's.

P. O. Box 1176, Pittsburg 212a\*

WANTED—Woman dish washer at  
Washington restaurant. Four day  
lars a week to the right person. 43c

WANTED—Men not under 25 years,  
to call on old and new customers.  
No delivering. Position permanent  
to the right party. Pay weekly.  
Glen Brothers, Rochester, N. Y.  
tu-thr-sat-7a 6wks

WANTED—Ladies to call at Turkish  
bath and massage parlors. Thurs-  
day ladies day. Special treatment  
for rheumatism, stomach liver and  
bowel trouble. Turkish Bath and  
Massage Parlors rear Hotel Nor-  
va! 22-31\*

WANTED—Girls to learn cigar and  
bunch making. Girls will be paid  
while learning. Apply at American  
Cigar Co., corner Main and Elm  
streets. 209 1m.

WANTED—Competent cook at 1028  
west Market street. 974f

### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Hotel with 11 rooms,  
and restaurant, at La Fayette. Lat-  
ter completely equipped and has  
soda fountain. Hotel partially fitted  
up. Rent \$25 monthly in advance.  
Reference required. Call or address  
E. Holman, Herring P. O., Ohio. 11\*

FOR RENT—Four room house. Call  
at 748 Pearl street. 2231\*

FOR RENT—Furnished room in  
most pleasant part of city. Apply  
P. O. Box 591, Lima, O. 2224f

FOR RENT—Store room 108 south  
Main street, near Market. Inquire  
of L. E. Stamets, office with A. C.  
Reichelderfer, plumber. 24t

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Cooking stove, splendid  
baker, large oven, will sell at a bar-  
gain. Call at 685 north Union. 23-3

FOR SALE—Belgian Hares, call at  
131 east Pearl street. 23-3t

### MISCELLANEOUS.

LOST—Watch fob, made of five silver  
coins. Return to Sid Bower and re-  
ceive reward. 4-3t

LOST—Fifteen dollars between Town-  
send's grocery and 415 north West  
street or between 415 West street  
and 613 north Elizabeth street.  
Finder leave at this office and re-  
ceive reward. 1t



# VITAL

## Statistical Report Is Ready

## And Contains

## Much of Interest to the Ready Reader.

Compilation of Figures Showing the Deaths, Births and Marriages

In Addition to Social Statistics, Which the Probate Judge Has Prepared for the Secretary of State.

After long and tedious labor, the probate court has completed the report containing the vital and social statistics of the county, and a copy is ready for the secretary of state. It contains in detail an interesting compilation of facts and figures from which can be drawn conclusions as to the condition of affairs over which Judge Miller has supervision. It is an indication also of how a small section of the country is thus enabled to bring into the United States reports that fraction of what eventually comes in the making of a national history of decline or fall.

The health of the county is brought out in the death statistics, which not only give the number who have succumbed to disease during the year, but the causes which led thereto. The total number of deaths reported is 37, twelve of whom were colored. Ages are given in each instance, and

the oldest resident had passed his 95 year. Another conclusion drawn from the report is that the child newly born, has less chance than those who have reached the age of maturity, as the report shows 82 deaths of infants, while the second largest figure is between 60 and 70 years.

The causes of death are itemized as follows—cholera infantum, 12; croup, 8; diarrhoea, 1; diphtheria, 6; dysentery, 2; erysipelas, 1; malarial fever, 1; puerperal fever, 1; scarlet fever, 2; spinal meningitis, 3; typhoid fever, 6; influenza, 4; measles, 6; whooping cough, 2; blood poisoning, 8; asthma, 2; cancer, 12; diabetes, 2; gangrene, 1; rheumatism, 3; consumption, 47; tubercular meningitis, 2; consumption of the bowels, 5; tubercular peritonitis, 2; apoplexy, 2; convulsions, 5; inflammation of brain, 2; lockjaw, 4; meningitis, 4; inflammation of spinal cord, 1; St. Vitus dance, 18; angina pectoris, 1; atrophy of heart, 1; heart-matophila, 3; pericarditis, 3; other diseases of heart, 22; bronchitis, 4; congestion of lungs, 7; empyema, (pus in chest cavity) 1; dropsy of chest, 5; pleurisy, 1; pneumonia, 38; dropsy of abdomen, 6; catarrh of bowels, 2; catarrh of stomach, 12; inflammation of liver, 1; rupture, 1; intussusception of bowels, 1; peritonitis, 1; ulcers of stomach, 1; inflammation of kidneys, 1; Bright's disease, 10; inflammation of bladder, 1; uterine tumors, 1; abscess, 4; pemphigus, 2; abortion, 2; child birth, 11; old age, 30; premature birth, 6; spina bifida, 7; still born, 7; marasmus, 1; burns or scalds, 2; fracture, 1; poison, 1; suffocation, 1; anaesthetic agents, 1; sudden death, cause unknown, 13.

What the trade and professional life has lost through death during the fiscal year, is summed up in the following: artists, 1; blacksmiths, 2; bricklayers, 2; carpenters 11; clerks, 8; males, 7; females 2; doctors, 2; farmers, 48; housekeepers, 84; house servants, 8; laborers, 24; lawyers, 1; merchants, 10; painters, 2; proprietors of manufactories, 2; public officials, 3; shoemakers, 1; tailors, 5; teachers, 3 males, 1 female; thinners, 1; other occupations, 16; no occupation, including children, 98 males, 67 females.

Nativity of deceased persons—England, 2; France, 3; Germany, 23; Ireland, 11; Scotland, 2; Switzerland, 8; United States, 248, unknown, 2.

Under the law of naturalization, the following number of persons have relinquished claim to their native country, and become American citizens: Austria, 1; England, 8; Germany, 2; Italy, 1; Switzerland, 1; other countries, 2; total, 15.

An interesting comparison with the deaths, is the report of the births in the county, which show a total of 1018, an increase which is even better than the city school census. The report gives the number of children born by the months as follows: April, 78; May, 68; June, 80; July, 70; August, 103; September, 83; October, 79; November, 99; December, 74; January, 1903, 90; February, 91; March, 103.

The marriage license docket shows the following report for the fiscal year: April, 41; May, 20; June, 54; July, 39; August, 54; September, 31; October, 47; November, 42; December, 56; January, 1903, 35; February, 31; March, 36; total, 466.

The social statistics show what has been done by the probate judge in the way of administering letters. Guardians were appointed for 45 persons, of whom 7 were insane, 5 imbeciles and the rest children.

Letters of administration—will admitted to probate, 61; letters testamentary, 48; letters of administration, 73; estates administered upon, 62.

Number of persons sent to hospital, for insane and epileptics, at Toledo, 25, males 13, females, 12.

Hardy Flagg, Wauwata, Wis., says: My wife would as soon think of making bread without flour, as keeping house without Rocky Mountain Tea.

35 cents.

For sale by H. F. Vorkamp, corner North and Main streets.

LIMA CHAPTER NO. 48, R. A. M.

Stated convocation tomorrow (Friday) evening. Work on M. E. M. degree.

H. C. SEIBERS, H. P. WALLACE LANDIS, Secy.

## BOARD

Will Spend Money for Improvements.

Educational Hall to Be Added to the Grounds

And Children's Day Will Be Held on Saturday This Year Instead of Wednesday as Heretofore.

The Allen county fair board is more active this year, than for many seasons back. The sale of the grounds to the Matinee Driving club has cleaned up every cent of indebtedness, and left about \$2,000 of a margin which the board greatly needs in order to have the grounds in presentable condition by September.

In addition to the improvements which the Driving club agreed to make, there are several necessary changes demanded in the exhibit building, and these will be repaired throughout. A portion of the surplus fund will be used for the erection of an educational hall, thus avoiding such another unfortunate incident as occurred last year, when the tent blew down in a driving rain, and ruined a valuable display.

The committees have been carefully chosen, and the members, to a man, are giving the early details the closest attention. Even at this early day the secretary is receiving and answering correspondence which shows that the improved conditions of Allen county's grounds has become known far beyond the borders.

At the meeting yesterday afternoon a new departure was determined upon, the board having decided to change children's day from Wednesday to Saturday. This is the first year that races have been scheduled for the last day of the fair, and the children will get to see the "real horses go round" without missing a day at school. All little ones under 12 years of age will be admitted free.

## NOTICE

The National Protective Society, of Detroit, has moved its office to second floor of the Times-Democrat building.

This company writes health or accident policies and pays for partial as well as total disability. Double benefit for street car or railroad accidents. Premiums payable monthly. Circulars giving full information sent upon application, or may be had by calling at the office. Agents wanted. Call on or address L. S. Currier, District Manager. Open evenings.

24-4t-e-o-d.

## CHOCOLATE CHIPS.

Best you ever ate, several kinds—we make them—special sale, 25c per pound—less than wholesale price. 3-3t

REID'S SWEET PLACE.

Energy all gone? Headache? Stomach out of order? Simply a case of torpid liver. Burdock Blood Bitters will make a new man or woman of you.

## BASE BALL.

Wet Grounds Prevented the Game at Boston.

Wet grounds prevented the game that was scheduled for the Reds, at Boston, yesterday. Today's contest for the Cincinnati team is also scheduled with the bean eaters.

## Yesterday's Results.

Cincinnati-Boston, wet grounds. Brooklyn 5, Pittsburg 4. Philadelphia 12, Chicago 4. New York 5, St. Louis 2.

## How They Stand.

Pittsburg	42	20	.677
New York	38	21	.644
Chicago	38	25	.603
Brooklyn	30	27	.526
Cincinnati	27	28	.491
Boston	24	35	.407
St. Louis	21	42	.333
Philadelphia	18	40	.310

## Games Today.

Cincinnati at Boston. Chicago at Philadelphia. Pittsburg at Brooklyn. St. Louis at New York.

## A. O. H. NOTICE.

All members of Division No. 2, A. O. H., are requested to meet at St. Johns hall.

## CHOCOLATE CHIPS.

Best you ever ate, several kinds—we make them—special sale, 25c per pound—less than wholesale price. 3-3t

REID'S SWEET PLACE.

Hundreds of lives saved every year by having Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house just when it is needed. Cures croup, neuralgic pains, cuts, wounds of every sort.

25 Per Cent Discount on all Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing.

# SEMI-ANNUAL SALE NOW ON.

25 Per Cent Off

On all Men's, Boys' and Children's

# Suits and Pants

Come Early and Get Choice Patterns. No Goods Charged During This Sale.

Store open Thursday and Friday evening and until noon Saturday. Will be closed Saturday afternoon on account of the Fourth.

# SOL WIESENTHAL,

Clothier, Hatter and Furnisher.

139 North Main Street,

LIMA, O.

CARROLL & COONEY. | MUSLIN UNDERWEAR SALE. | CARROLL & COONEY.

## Muslin Underwear

## Less Than Half Price.

The most successful sale of Ladies' Muslin Underwear ever given in Lima began at our store this morning. Cotton goods have advanced in price very strongly, notwithstanding which we are able to sell this lot of Undergarments at less than half the regular prices. How we came to get them and why we care to sell them now at these low prices, are matters that do not concern anyone but ourselves. We have the goods and are selling them rapidly.

## Come In Tomorrow

## And See for Yourself.

Ladies' Night Gowns at 37c, worth 59c to 75c.  
Ladies' Night Gowns at 98c, worth \$1.50 to \$2.50.  
Ladies' Corset Covers 10c and 15c, worth 25c to 35c.  
\$2.00 White Skirts, beautifully trimmed, for 98c.  
Regular \$5.00 White Skirts for \$1.98.  
Lace and embroidery trimmed Drawers for 25c a pair.

NO GOODS CHARGED AT SALE PRICES.

# CARROLL & COONEY.

**DRY BLUEM FOODS**

**This Store will be closed all day July 4th.**

**Every Day Bargains**

**In**

**Separate Skirts and Suits.**

**Some new styles in Skirts just came in at extraordinary low prices.**

**(Third Floor.)**

A new Venetian Cloth Skirt, silk band trimming, swell style, at **\$5.00.**

Venetian Cloth Dress Skirts, satin bands, new style, at **\$5.75.**

Unlined Cheviot Dress Skirts, a special bargain at **\$7.50.**

Broadcloth Dress Skirts in all styles and prices from **\$5.00 to \$10.**

A small lot of grey Dress Skirts, good all wool material, at **\$1.98.**

Voile and Ettamine Dress Skirts in black only, at **\$12 to \$18.**

We still have a few of those special Suits worth \$15 to \$25, at **\$7.49.**

Small sizes only in the above.

The best and largest line of Walking Skirts in the city can always **Be Found Here.**

Walking Skirts of good all wool material, at **\$3.98.**

Our special is an all wool Thibet Cloth Walking Skirt, elegant style, black, blue and brown, at **\$6.00.**

**DRY BLUEM FOODS**

**Dress Goods.**

**Suit House.**

**55-57 Public Square.**

**San Felice**

**Highest Grade Cigar for**

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# DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

## Formally Established With Appropriate Ceremonies at Capitol.

Washington, July 2.—The transfer of the various bureaus which are to be assembled under the act creating the department of commerce and labor to the new department took place yesterday. The transfer was attended by a pleasant ceremony in the office of Secretary Cortelyou. The chiefs of all the bureaus, the control of which passed to the new department, gathered in the secretary's office and in addition there were a number of distinguished people present, including Secretary Moody of the navy department. Secretary Cortelyou made a brief address concerning the objects and aims of the department.

and there were several responses. In addition to the bureaus of corporations and manufactures created by the new law the department of commerce beginning today embraces control of the following: The census bureau, formerly under control of the interior department; the light house establishment, steamboat inspection service, bureau of navigation, United States shipping commissioners, national bureau of standards, coast and geodetic survey bureau of immigration and bureau of statistics from the treasury department; the bureau of labor, fish commission and the bureau of foreign commerce, the latter being transferred from the state department.

## WILL PROBE TO THE END

To Determine Facts Concerning Death of the Late City Recorder of Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh, July 2.—J. R. P. Brown, brother of the late city recorder, J. O. Brown, who is responsible for the inquiry now in progress respecting the cause of the latter's sudden death, states that if the people who profess to have what they knew when he went to see them they would never have seen any further investigation. The statement made by Dr. McKelvey that the death of Recorder Brown was due to an overdose of sulfonal and trional, taken in an effort to produce sleep, he said was a surprise as he had been informed that death was due to weakness and was brought about by purely natural causes.

"That," said he, "I learned upon further investigation, could not be true and for that reason I started the machinery moving to get at the facts in the case purely for my own satisfaction. If he was killed through accident or died by his own hand, I should certainly have been told the facts in the matter and that would have ended the entire trouble."

"The investigation will now be pushed with vim and every detail connected with the entire affair probed to the bottom."

The inquest will be resumed Friday afternoon.

## Wonderful Nerve

Is displayed by many a man enduring pains of accidental cuts, wounds, bruises, burns, scalds, sore feet or stiff joints. But there is no need for it. Dr. Flenkel's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It is the best salve on earth for cuts, burns, etc., at H. F. Vorkamp's, the druggist.

## DEATH RESULTED FROM INJURIES

And Shock That Came From Falling Down Stairs. Mrs. Dana the Victim.

New York, July 2.—Mrs. Charles A. Dana, wife of a well known journalist, is dead at her home in this city, from injuries and shock received several days ago, when she fell down a flight of stairs.

Mrs. Dana who was 79 years old, failed to rally from the effects of her fall, and despite excellent medical treatment and nursing, lost strength daily. The accident occurred Monday, at the home of her friend, Mrs. John McKim, and it was thought at the time that her injuries were slight.

## CALLED TO CLEVELAND.

Mrs. C. H. Thompson who has been giving talks on astrology, has been called to Cleveland, and is located at 160 north Perry street.

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## P. M. GENERAL HEARS PROTESTS

Made by Delegation Against Bid of Paul Herman, of New York for Printing.

Washington, July 2.—Postmaster General Payne yesterday gave a hearing to a delegation from the Typotheta of America who protested against the bid of Paul Herman, of New York, for the contract for furnishing money order blanks to the government. John H. Eggers and Col. Henry W. Sackett, of New York, and Wilson H. Lee, of New Haven, Conn., urged that letting the contract to Herman would infringe on the statute forbidding the letting of sub-contracts; that he could not do the work and that it is contrary to business methods to gain a firm's secrets and then become a competitor. Herman, who was given a hearing later in the day denied the first two charges and said that he left the employ of the Hallenbeck-Wynkoop-Crawford Co., the present contractors, because of a disagreement.

When you wake up with a bad taste in your mouth, go at once to Wm. M. Melville's drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One or two doses will make you well. They also cure biliousness, sick headache and constipation.

## USUAL KICK FOR PAYING

Chinese Indemnity in Silver—Throne Announces Two Cities Recaptured.

Peking, July 2.—The bankers' commission has informed the ministers, that the semi-annual installment of the Chinese indemnity was paid Tuesday, in silver, at Shanghai, and was received under the usual protest on account of being tendered at a rate 22 cents below the current exchange. This has increased the dissatisfaction at China's contempt of the protocol, and her repudiation of the advice given by the most competent foreigners here that she should surrender the gold bonds, and depend afterwards on the generosity of the powers for relief from the decline in silver. The three announcements that two cities in Yunnan province, have been recaptured from the rebels, and the rebel leader there, has been beheaded.

## WATER WORKS NOTICE.

PAY YOUR WATER RENT ON OR BEFORE AUGUST 1ST, AND SAVE THE 10 PER CENT PENALTY.

J. N. HUTCHISON, SECY.  
20-e-o-d-1th-July 25

## SAME OFFICERS.

New York, July 2.—At a director's meeting of the Amalgamated Copper Co., Henry Rogers, has been re-elected president, and Wm. G. Rockefeller as vice president.

## CINCINNATI NEXT.

Mackinac Island, Mich., July 2.—The Western Paper Box Makers' association has decided to hold its next meeting at Cincinnati.

**Cholera Infantum.**  
This has long been regarded as one of the most dangerous and fatal diseases to which infants are subject. It can be cured, however, when properly treated. All that is necessary is to give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and castor oil, as directed with each bottle, and a cure is certain. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

## LOVE'S STRATAGEM

By Martha McCulloch-Williams

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Fenella watched her aunt with wide, unflinching eyes. She was much too angry to be the least bit afraid. De liberately, in cold blood, Miss De Vaux had opened a letter addressed to Fenella and stood reading it as though it were her own. The reading made her eyes snap. When she came to the signature, she stamped hard and made to fling the offending sheet into the fire.

Fenella was too quick for her. She caught the paper, crumpled it between locked hands, then confronted Miss De Vaux with a face as set as her own. "I have wanted not to hate you, Aunt Pam," she said. "There are just the two of us left. But—but you make me do it. I did not think my father's sister could be so dishonorable."

Miss De Vaux gasped. If one of the roses blooming on the terrace outside the windows had spoken reproach of her, she would have been scarcely more amazed. Fenella in all the five years since she came to Vauxhall had shown herself a pattern of silent, shy obedience. She must be instantly disciplined.

"Go to your room at once!" she said. "Stay there until John Jermain comes. I shall tell him the whole truth. After that, if he still wishes to marry you, you will leave my house as his wife or else as penniless as you are ungrateful!"

"I shall go now!" Fenella said, turning toward the outer door. Miss De Vaux barred her way, saying with a bitter smile: "Wait. Read your letter. Between the lines you will find out that your true love, Mr. Allen Lee, does not want you unless you bring him the hope of my money."

Fenella's luminous pallor turned suddenly ashen, but her head was high as she answered, "You would hardly have tried to burn a letter which said that." But instead of pressing to the hall door she turned and went up the stairway.

In an hour she came down, a slim, black wreath, clothed in the faded mourning she had worn when she came to Vauxhall. A small bag, pitifully rusty, more pitifully dainty, dangled from her hand. "I am taking away nothing but what belongs to me. Bear witness to that, Aunt Pam," she said. "I am taking away nothing but what belongs to me. Bear witness to that, Aunt Pam," she said. "I am taking away nothing but what belongs to me. Bear witness to that, Aunt Pam," she said.

"Stop foolish child! There need be no talk of marriage—until you choose," Miss De Vaux said huskily. Under her crust of imperious pride she loved Fenella dearly. "Listen! Be wise and a little pitiful. John Jermain ought to be my son. I never loved anybody but his father. My pride and temper parted us. Now you know why I want him to have the money, yet not to leave it away from my own blood."

"Let him have it—unimpaired," Fenella said proudly.

Miss De Vaux wrung her hands. "You must not go away," she said. Fenella smiled wanly, but shook her head, saying, "I must."

"You are mad—quite mad!" Miss De Vaux said, the distress in her voice apparent. A tall, wholesome looking fellow came gustily through the door. Two strides took him up to Fenella. "What does it mean—this masquerade?" he asked. Miss De Vaux began to speak, but Fenella stopped her by an imperious gesture.

"It means you are to be rich and happy in your own way," she said clearly. "I have not been so blind as you thought. Mr. Jermain does not really care for me. He loves Susan Weir, though he has never let himself acknowledge it."

Jermain laughed heartily. "In that case you must needs console me," he said. "Haven't you heard the news? Susan eloped last night with Allen Lee, and I have been ready to murder him this last six weeks. I was so sure he had bewitched our fairy here."

He touched Fenella's arm reverently as he spoke. She shrank from him and made as if to speak. Miss De Vaux put a hand over her lips, saying, "Let me tell him, Fenella. He ought to know the truth. Our girl was bewitched, John. That is the true word for it. But she had the strength, the sense, to save herself—would not hear of a secret marriage. She had found him out. She is going away because I have been cruel. Tell her she must stay."

"I have no right to tell her anything," Jermain said, pulling through all his healthy tan. Then to Fenella he said: "But you need not go, dear, to—escape me. I shall never force myself on you. I love you too well!"

"It is not that," Fenella interrupted. "I will stay, and gladly, on one condition."

"Name it," Jermain said, looking away. Fenella drew back a step.

"That I may be my aunt's companion, not her heiress," she said. "If you will let her adopt you!"

She stopped, faltering the least bit. Jermain frowned blackly, but suddenly his face cleared as if by magic. "I believe that is the best way out," he said, with a slight significant gesture to Miss De Vaux.

The new order of things made little outward difference. Inwardly Fenella chafed over slight and subtle changes. Materially she had no cause for complaint. Her salary was a little more than her quarterly allowance had been. Her duties were less than she had vol-

untarily taken on herself in the old days. She had greater absolute freedom, but she missed something. Miss De Vaux no longer talked to her of the future. Now and again she said of such or such a plan. "John will keep it up." And once she went as far as to add that in the event of Fenella's marriage after five years' satisfactory service she would give her a wedding outfit and a modest if comfortable dowry. Further, she made not the least objection to potential lovers. If they asked her leave to court her niece, she said invariably Fenella was free to choose for herself.

This a year passed. Fenella was finding out things—things bitter to be borne. She had thrown away happiness because, forsooth, she fancied it was to be thrust upon her. Jermain was as kind as ever, as elusively courteous, but nothing more. Of course he no longer cared for her; of course, too, he would marry as soon as he found a lucky woman exactly to his mind. Until that happened Fenella meant to stay. Afterward—She stopped there, blind and trembling.

Still it was like a knife thrust when Miss De Vaux said: "Fenella, John is to marry shortly, so on many accounts I think it wise to get another companion. He has chosen well. As he is to live with me after he marries, it is almost certain he would not like to have you keep the place."

"I understand. I will go," Fenella said through stiff lips, then, waiting for no answer, stumbled blindly away. In the briefest time she was walking down the avenue, looking neither to right nor left, her eyes still unseeing. Half way to the gate she ran plump into Jermain's arms. They closed about her in most possessive fashion as he said, with his lips on her hair, answering her incoherent murmurs. "Of course, Aunt Pam needs another companion. You are going to be my precious wife!"

## Origin of Earrings.

According to the Moslem creed the reason why every Mohammedan lady considers it her duty to wear earrings is attributed to the following curious legend: Sarah, tradition tells us, was so jealous of the preference shown by Abraham for Hagar that she took a solemn vow that she would give herself no rest until she had mutilated the fair face of her hated rival and bondmaid. Abraham, who had knowledge of his wife's intention, did his utmost to pacify his illiberal spouse, but long in vain. At length, however, she relented and decided to forego her plan of revenge. But how was she to fulfill the terms of the vow she had undertaken? After mature reflection she saw her way out of the difficulty. Instead of disfiguring the lovely features of her bondmaid she contented herself with boring a hole in each of the rosy lobes of her ears.

The legend does not inform us whether Abraham afterward felt it incumbent upon him to mitigate the smart of these little wounds by the gift of a costly pair of earrings or whether Hagar procured the trinkets for herself. The fact remains, however, that the Turkish women, all of whom wear earrings from their seventh year, derive the use of these jewels from Hagar, who is held in veneration as the mother of Ishmael, the founder of their race.

## Bloods in History.

It is certain that blood, long headed men once played a great role in history, for it was they who colonized Galatia and brought home the treasures of Greece and Italy to Toulouse, who overthrew the Roman empire in the west and won England from the Britons. It is equally certain that this physical type was once much more dominant and widely distributed than it is now and that it is tending to die out. This is especially true of that pronounced form of bloods which is distinguished by red hair. Red haired persons do not now constitute the majority in any known tribe or nation, but one authority sets forth grounds for thinking that red hair was once much more prevalent.

It must have occurred, for instance, among the Brahmins, since they were forbidden by the laws of Manu to marry red haired women. There is no doubt that blonds and red haired persons are still encountered about the Hindoo Kush, among the tribes from whom the Brahmins are supposed to have been immigrants. But obedience to the law mentioned would, in the course of time, annihilate the tendency to their reproduction.

## Not an Optical Illusion.

He was positive that he bumped his head when he fell. "You see, it all happened just as I stepped off the porch," he said as he rubbed the back of his thought repository.

"My heel touched the corner of the step, and I was gone. I nearly fractured my skull. The stars loomed up like a constellation. I never saw stars as plainly in my life."

"But, papa"—his young son attempted to interrupt, but the stern parent would not permit it.

"Don't contradict what I say, Frank, because you know I am older than you are," said the father.

"But, papa"—

"Frank!"

"But, papa, I know you didn't bump your head. And you didn't see stars either. It was the ashes from your pipe. I guess I saw you."

And Frank was reprimanded for having his say.—Indianapolis News.

## Yielded to the Inevitable.

Bilson—So you have a titled son-in-law. I suppose you consider him a high honor.

Tribbler—Well, yes, he did come rather high, but Carrie seemed sort of set upon buying him.—Boston Transcript.

## FRUIT AT THE BREAKFAST TABLE

Nature Provides its own remedies which, if used judiciously, insure perfect health at all times

Add to the pleasure of eating seasonal fruits before beginning the first meal of the day, this custom has undoubtedly arisen from the well known fact that nearly all fruit and more particularly plums and PRUNES contain natural laxative principles which act directly on the stomach and bowels.

Constipation, that most troublesome complaint which is undoubtedly the basic cause of nine-tenths of the dyspepsia, indigestion, biliousness, etc., so prevalent among our people to-day, and which if neglected, surely leads to more complicated and serious organic diseases, can surely be prevented, and when not too far advanced, can be speedily cured by the judicious use of the most laxative and cathartic California Prune Wafers.

They are not a patent medicine in the ordinary sense of the word, being compounded from fresh California Prunes, which every intelligent person knows to be truly nature's laxative.

A dainty little wafer, always the same, compounded to a highly concentrated form from fresh California Prunes, they are a natural disolvent, acting on the contents of the stomach and bowels and not on the organs themselves.

They regulate the Liver and Stomach, Cleanse the System and Purify the Blood, Cure all Bowel Troubles, Biliousness, Bad Breath, Bad Mood, Wind on the Stomach, Stomachic Disorders, Poor Mouth, Headache, Indigestion, Pimples and Disfigurement.

Every household should have its family package of CALIFORNIA PRUNE WAFERS, and at the first signs of approaching illness, or when under the weather, take a couple of wafers, and the doctor's bill will seem so much smaller than they are now.

You can eat what you please if you follow each meal with a CALIFORNIA PRUNE WAFER, which quickly dissolves the most indigestible food, and helps to carry it through and out of the system in a gentle and healthful manner, without the slightest pain, griping or nausea. 100 Wafers for 35c.

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## SAME FOOLS HERE.

"Franklin people don't go to Monarch park to be penned up in the little coop at the station, sometimes for 40 minutes at a clip." This is a quotation from the Franklin News, and is a fair sample of the nonsense indulged in by a certain class of people who enjoy "talking through their hats." Each one of these individuals imagines that he or she could manage the cars much better than the parties who now undertake to do it. Of course nobody is "penned up" at the park for any such length of time as designated, but a little matter of fact is of no consequence whatever, when it comes to kicking about the cars. This is a great North American privilege and to deprive the public of it would remove half its enjoyment. The car is poorly loaded that does not contain some "Smart Alicks who just revel in demonstrating what they know about the trolley business. There has been more or less grumbling about the restrictions imposed on the patrons of the park, but if the grumblers would pause long enough to think the matter over rationally they would at once see how inconsistent they are. It is manifestly to the interest of the Traction company to handle just as many passengers as possible. In order to do this, as many cars will be utilized as the traffic will warrant. And the restrictions imposed upon passengers are wholly in the interest of their personal safety.

That those safeguards are necessary was demonstrated on Saturday, when a young man was injured in a "rush" for the car, near the base ball grounds where there are no gates. The question as to the best method for handling big crowds is a most perplexing one, particularly where each individual in a crowd of 1,000 is seized with a desire to board a car which can accommodate not more than 100. In the earlier history of the park, before the crowds attained such mammoth proportions, the tree for all method prevailed, and the wonder is that there were not more accidents. The officials of the Citizens' Traction Company have devoted much study to the matter and have experimented with several systems, and they find the turnstile the most satisfactory. They are fully as anxious as their patrons to adopt the best method, but so long as the passengers persist in the regular football rushes—all determined to take one car—there will be difficulty. If each individual would endeavor to be a little more considerate, and not act as if his or her life depended on reaching a certain car, the matter would soon regulate itself.—Oil City Blizzard.

## Jangling Nerves.

Are you irritable? Do you sleep badly? Is it hard to concentrate your thoughts? Is your appetite poor? Do you feel tired, restless and despondent? Try Litchy's Celery Nerve Compound. It will do you more good than anything you have ever tried. Sold by W. M. Melville, druggist, old postoffice corner.

## HARDWARE HOURS.

The hardware stores of the city will be opened Friday evening, and will close Saturday noon and remain closed till Monday.

## Special Prices

In every department during our Great Clearance Sale, beginning July 6, 1903. Don't miss it.

F. E. HARMAN.

## RAILROAD

Time card in effect June 14, 1903, from Lima.

No.	Trains West.
7	Pacific Exp. for Chic., da. 12:25 am
9	Buffalo-Chicago L.T'd., da. 1:58 am
21	Chicago Exp. da. ex. Sun. 6:42 am
3	N. Y.-Chgo. L.T'd., daily 11:33 am
13	Wells Fargo Exp. da. ex.
37	Monday 8:57 am
37	Local Frt., ex. Sun. arrives 6:30 pm
No.	Trains East.
8	N. Y. and Columbus, daily 4:05 am
22	Marion-Columbus, ex. Sun. 8:21 am
4	N. Y.-Boston L.T'd., daily 4:33 pm
10	Buffalo-Chautauque, dly. 11:02 pm
No. 13	will not carry baggage.
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## C. & D. RAILROAD.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 7	Daily, leaves 2:10 am
No. 11	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 8:55 am
No. 1	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 12:41 pm
No. 5	Daily, leaves 4:10 pm
No. 9	Daily, leaves 6:10 pm
No. 13	Daily, except Sunday, 9:35 pm
No. 13	Daily ex. Sunday, arrives only 9:35 pm
No. 65	Sunday only, arrives 9:50 am

WEST BOUND.

No. 12	Daily, leaves 2:35 am
No. 14	Daily, leaves ex. Sunday 8:30 am
No. 2	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 8:05 am
No. 6	Daily, leaves 11:57 am
No. 4	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:35 pm
No. 8	Daily, leaves 6:05 pm
No. 10	Daily ex. Sunday, arrives only 9:06 pm
No. 60	Sunday only, leaves 7:43 am
No. 68	Sunday only, arrives 9:55 pm

## DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Change of time on Detroit Southern Railroad, in effect June 14th, 1903.

Going South.

1	Daily except Sunday, 2:15 pm
3	Daily except Sunday, 6:00 am
21	Sunday only, 10:55 am
23	Sunday only, arrives 11:50 pm

Going North.

2	Daily except Sunday, 10:55 am
4	Daily except Sunday, Arr. 8:25 pm
22	Sunday only, arrives 10:55 am
24	Sunday only, departs 5:45 am

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run between Detroit, Mich., and Bainbridge, Ohio.

Trains Nos. 3 and 4 between Lima, Ohio, and Ironton, Ohio.

Trains Nos. 21 and 22 run Sunday only, between Lima, Ohio, and Bainbridge, Ohio.

Trains Nos. 23 and 24 run Sunday only, between Lima, Ohio, and Detroit, Michigan.

## L. E. & W.

No. West

1	Daily, leaves 9:55 am
5	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:23 pm
2	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:30 am

East.

8	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 8:06 am
1	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 12:50 M
2	Daily leaves 5:55 pm
12	Lake Spl. Sun. only, Lv. 7:00 am

## P. F. W. & C.

In effect May 24th, 1902

No. East.

24	Pch. special, daily 12:45 am
4	Pch. & N. Y., daily 7:15 am
26	Crestline accm. da ex Sun 9:05 am
30	Alliance accm. da ex Sun. 2:15 pm
22	Shoreline Limited, daily 4:27 pm
8	Pch. & N. Y. daily 9:50 pm
2	Limited Express, daily 11:07 pm

West.

15	Chgo & West daily 1:53 am
21	Chgo & West, daily 10:23 am
9	Chgo & West, da ex Sun 9:25 am
34	Chgo & West, daily 2:31 pm
35	Pt Wayne accm. da ex Sun 5:29 pm

## F. M. EAKIN, Agent.

## BOSTON EXCURSIONS

Via Erie railroad, account First Church of Christ. Tickets will be on sale June 25, 26 and 27 to Boston and return, with limit to July 2, and on payment of 50 cents at Boston tickets will be extended to August 1, 1903. Stopovers allowed at New York, Niagara Falls, Lake Chautauque and Cambridge Springs. Call on Erie agents, or address:

R. H. WALLACE, A. G. P. A.  
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For the above meeting at Boston, the Erie Railroad will sell low rate round trip tickets from all coupon stations to Boston. Tickets on sale July 2, 3, 4 and 5, good returning July 12. Tickets can be extended to September 1, 1903, by deposit at Boston and payment of 50 cents. Stopovers allowed at Cambridge Springs, Lake Chautauque and Niagara Falls in either direction without extra charge. Stopover allowed at New York on return trip, on payment of \$1 to joint agent at New York. For information, see Erie agents or address: R. H. WALLACE, Cleveland, O. 7-4d

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## One-Fourth Off on all Clothing.

Seventy-five cents does the work of a dollar here. We use no Arabic hieroglyphics that you can not understand, but all goods are marked in plain figures. You can figure your own discounts. We will forfeit \$500 in cash to anyone discovering a single article having been marked up for this sale. Store will be open this evening and tomorrow evening and will close promptly at noon on Saturday, the 4th.

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#### HAND

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erable Pioneers.

Wolfgang Schultheis Passed  
Away Last Evening at  
7 O'clock.

Was Born in Bavaria, Came to  
America in 1847 and Established  
the Schultheis Tannery  
Here in 1863.

Wolfgang Schultheis, one of Lima's oldest, most prosperous and venerable citizens who has been prominently identified with the history of the city's progress during the past two decades, passed from mortal life at his late home, corner of Elm and Elizabeth streets, at 7 o'clock, last evening, the immediate cause of his demise being kidney trouble from which he had suffered for some time. The end, which came silently and peacefully, terminated the useful mortal existence of one of Lima's most prosperous citizens, whose thrift and business sagacity founded one of the city's most successful and widely known industries, the Schultheis tannery situated at the foot of Elizabeth street, on west Water street.

Born in Bavaria, Wolfgang Schultheis was born at Hof, Bavaria, Germany, October 12, 1834, and was a son of George and Catherine (Summers) Schultheis, the parents of five children, two of whom, the deceased and his brother, John Schultheis, came to America. They arrived in this country in the spring of 1847, and for a year, resided in Columbus and Lancaster counties, Pa. Wolfgang Schultheis then came to Ohio, and worked in Cincinnati, for one year, then removed to Ft. Wayne

and from there, went to Ridgeway, O. In 1850 he was wedded at the latter place, Miss Helena Byers, also a native of Hof, Bavaria, becoming his bride. To their union was born, four sons—George, John, Charles and Gustavus Schultheis, two of whom, John and Charles Schultheis, survive the parents, the sons George and Gustavus, having died in this city, some years ago. After his marriage, Mr. Schultheis established a tannery between the villages of Hardin and New Port, which he sold later and then returned to Ridgeway, remaining there four years. In 1863 the family removed to Lima, and Mr. Schultheis established the tannery that is now one of Lima's oldest and most successful industries. The establishment is now known as that of the Schultheis Bros., the father having retired from active business, some years ago. Mrs. Schultheis died February 14, 1899.

Was a Lutheran. The deceased was a life long member of the Lutheran church, having been baptized in the church of that faith, in his infancy in Germany. His funeral will be held from the Schultheis residence, at two o'clock, tomorrow afternoon. The service will be conducted by the Rev. E. P. Bosart, the family's pastor, and appropriate music will be furnished by the choir of St. Paul's Lutheran church. The pall bearers will be I. S. Motter, A. G. Lutz, Chas. F. Stolzenbach, Geo. Feltz, Amos Young and Jacob Kissel.

In addition to his two sons, the deceased is survived by one brother, who resides in Indiana, and who is now here to attend the funeral, and by one sister, who still resides in Germany.

Black berries at Smiths. 22-3t

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All barber shops will close Saturday, July 4th at noon. Open Friday evening until 10 o'clock 3-2t

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Church Takes Measure of  
Its Members.

Five Cents a Foot Wasn't So Much  
Until the Height Ran  
Into Inches.

A unique entertainment was carried to a successful issue by Epworth League Methodist church, on Belmont avenue, last night, and was styled a measuring contest. The idea was to have all who were interested in the church, whether members or not, to stand for their height, and for each foot a charge of 5 cents was made, one cent being added to the cost for each extra inch. One patron paid the sum of 39 cents for exactly six feet of stature, but just behind him came another who stood five feet, eleven inches. Although the shorter by an inch the charge under the rules laid down, was six cents more than the taller man was required to pay. The church netted a neat sum out of the affair, and there was lots of fun, which extended to the refreshment tables in the basement.

CHOCOLATE FUDGE. You know the kind we make—a whole lot more made today and a cheap sale to—98c but only 15c a pound 3-2t

RED'S SWEET PLACE  
SEASON

Closed With a Reception and  
Dance.

Co C gave a farewell dance and reception at the armory last night which was attended by about 75 couples, and there will be little of work, or social pleasures about the new hall, until the weather of fall ushers in the suitable season for further activity. A luncheon followed the dance and everybody present enjoyed a most delightful evening.

Mr. John Reid, of Los Angeles, Cal., just arrived to spend the summer with his mother, Mrs. E. M. Reid, of Reid's Sweet Place.

FANCY BULK AND BOTTLE OLIVES AT DIMOND BROS. 4-2t

#### HOW

The County Was  
Protected

As Is Shown

By Statistics From the  
Sheriff's Office.

Total Number of Prisoners  
Confined and Their Final  
Disposition.

Clem Dickman Taken to the Peni-  
tentiary Today to Begin His  
Five Year Sentence for  
Manslaughter.

Deputy Sheriff Summers at noon today completed the statistical report compiled from the sheriff's office since June 30, 1902, and from which the following facts are gleaned.

During the time mentioned, the jail register shows 201 prisoners, 175 of whom were born in Ohio, 19 in other states and 4 were foreigners. One prisoner died in jail and none escaped. Of the number confined, 35 committed felonies, 166 misdemeanors, 12 were insane and 5 were detained as witnesses. Of the total 196 were able to read and write and 5 were of the unfortunate class. Twenty-three, most of whom were truants, were under 16 years of age.

As to their final disposition, five were sent to the boys industrial home at Lancaster, 1 to the girl's home at Delaware, 11 to the penitentiary, 5 to the reformatory at Mansfield and 20 to the work house.

Taken to the Pen. Sheriff Barr left this morning for Columbus, accompanied by Clem Dickman, slayer of Jack Carroll, who will serve five years in the penitentiary for manslaughter, as the jury interpreted his offense.

Pays the Penalty. Deputy Sheriff Frost escorted Myr-

tie Johnson, a wayward girl of fourteen to the girl's industrial home at Delaware, this morning. She will remain until she is 18 years of age, which will give her four years of instruction under rules which will likely mould a different character.

No Grand Jury Prisoners. There are now but six prisoners confined in the county jail and all are charged with misdemeanors. Sheriff Barr has no boarders so far who must wait the action of next fall's grand jury.

Real Estate Transfers. Emeline E. Ramsey to Christian Bachler, 42 28-100 acres in German township, \$1650. Anna E. Harrison to Eva F. M. Harrison, Inlet 31, Seinsheimers' addition of Chilton, \$600. Elizabeth Lucas to Calvin Goble, Inlet 3127, Clark's addition, \$425. Henry C. Steuble to Charles E. Stromquist, lot 218, Lakewood addition \$350.

Marriage Licenses. Theodore J. Thomas, 28, of Cairo, and Meda V. Yokum, 27, of Beaverdam, C. M. Wambaugh, 30, of North Baltimore, and F. E. Oberley, 22, of Bluffton. John Tschauz, 28, carpenter, of Lima, and Della Bigler, 25, of Bluffton.

OUR STOCK OF FIREWORKS IS THE LARGEST AND BEST IN LIMA. GREEN'S BOOK STORE. STORE OPEN EVERY EVENING UNTIL SATURDAY. 1t

Townsend will be open Friday evening and will close Saturday at noon.

THE IDLER.

Company A, of Second regiment, will be reformed from its present state of demoralization.

Big hearted Sam Collins has made a present of his fine automobile to his son P. C. Collins, of Cleveland. The latter accompanied by his wife, left this morning overland, with the machine for the Forest city.

St. Rose high school boys defeated a team from the Business College, in a hotly contested game of baseball, the score being 12 to 11.

Elida is to have a daily paper—The Courier. It will be under the able management of Mr. J. R. Swasey, and will no doubt satiate a long felt want.

#### NOTES

About the Boys and "Other  
Things"

Picked Up on a Daily Round  
Among the Shops at the  
C. H. & D.

Supt. Cory of the motive department left this morning for Indianapolis on business.

The new steam hammer for the blacksmith shop has been shipped and when it arrives the old one, now in use, will be sent to Dayton. The new one is of the very latest pattern.

Chief Clerk Ruppel, of Supt. Fletcher's office has returned from his vacation.

Two passenger coaches from the I. D. & W. branch have been received at the shops and will be remodeled.

Traveling Engineer F. O. Miller was in the city yesterday examining men for promotion from firemen to engineers.

John Cornell of the C. H. & D. office expects to spend the 4th with his grandfather at Buck Creek, Ind.

Supt. Miller, of the bridge department, will spend the glorious Fourth at the reservoir—"far from the maddening crowd."

James Hooper, of Chillicothe has invented an automatic switch, by the use of which he declares an open switch will be no longer possible. Slide rods are placed alongside the rails, a key is attached to the rods and when the first car wheel strikes this key it will close the switch if it has been left open. The switch also closes itself after a train leaves the siding.

Big Rail Contract. Baltimore, July 2.—Contracts were given out today at the main office of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad for forty thousand tons of steel rails, aggregating in cost \$1,120,000.

DON'T MAKE YOUR OLD friend hate you, in saying: "aint it hot?" But invite him to Reid's Sweet Place and get cool and you will be Johnny on the Spot. Ice cream soda with electric fans, 5c. 3-2t

RED'S SWEET PLACE.

Cherries at Smiths. 22-3t

DIMOND BROS. WILL CLOSE AT NOON, SATURDAY, JULY 4TH. 4-2t

#### RETIREES

From School Life to Become  
Mistress of a Home.

There have been weddings galore during the past few weeks and it is noticeable that among the chosen ones are several of Lima's most efficient teachers, with the prospect of several others going the same old love road before the new term begins. The latest news announcing the betrothal of a popular teacher comes from Smithville, Wayne county, where Miss Anna B. Blattenberg, a sister of the genial doctor was married on Tuesday to Homer Maple Hoyer, a prominent citizen of that community.

Picnic goods at Townsend's.

BIGAMY IS CHARGED AGAINST ARMY OFFICER.

Washington, July 2.—General Corbin today received a telegram from General Bates, commanding the department of the lakes, saying that Lieutenant W. F. McCue had been placed under arrest and sent to Fort Sheridan. His investigation of the case thus far tends to confirm the charges of bigamy made against McCue, but he also says that there are indications that McCue is not sane.

Buy cooked meats at Townsend's. FANCY NEW HONEY AT DIMOND BROS. 4-2t

RURAL CARRIER INJURED IN A RUNAWAY.

The horse driven by rural delivery carrier R. H. Stockton, frightened at an interurban car in Shawnee township, this afternoon, and ran away. In the mixup, Mr. Stockton was run over, by the horse, and had two ribs broken. He was brought to his home on west North street.

SPRING CHICKENS AT DIMOND BROS. 4-2t

SNOW IS FALLING NEAR BUTTE, MONTANA.

Butte, July 2.—Snow began falling in the vicinity of Butte, last evening, and indications are that it will be heavy. It is predicted that Helena will also experience a snow storm.

Dressed chickens at Townsend's.

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 of the court house in Lima, Allen  
 county, Ohio, on  
 Saturday, July 11th, A. D., 1903,  
 between the hours of one o'clock and  
 two o'clock, p. m., the following de-  
 scribed lands and tenements, situate  
 in the City of Lima, Allen county,  
 State of Ohio, and described as fol-  
 lows, to-wit:  
 Being a part of in-lot number eight-  
 hundred and seventy-nine (1879)  
 in the Irwin Place addition to the said  
 City of Lima, to-wit:  
 Beginning at the southwest corner  
 of said in-lot; thence east on the  
 south line thereof one hundred and  
 twenty (120) feet to a point; thence  
 north parallel with the west line of  
 said lot, twenty-one and one-half  
 (21½) feet; thence west parallel  
 with the south line of said lot one  
 hundred and fifty (150) feet to the  
 north line of said lot; thence south on  
 the west line twenty one and one  
 (21½) feet to the place of begin-  
 ning.  
 The same being situated on the  
 east side of south Main street, be-  
 tween Vine street and C. & E. R. R.  
 No. 947.  
 Appraised at \$1500.00.  
 Terms of sale: Cash.  
 E. J. BARR, Sheriff,  
 Allen County, Ohio.  
 Lima, Ohio, June 10th, 1903.  
 Galt & Lippincott,  
 Attorneys.

**DO NOT ATTEMPT  
TO DISPROVE CHARGE.**

Chicago, July 2.—Hazel Avery was taken to the criminal court today on charge of kidnapping Alice Furr. The woman made no attempt to disprove the charges against her and examination. Her bond was set at \$3,000.

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**DESTROY THE CAUSE.**

Cannot Cure Dandruff Without  
Destroying the Cause of It.

Many people wash their scalps Saturday night or Sunday to try to keep dandruff, for the week but on Monday, the scalp has begun to itch. Tuesday morning, will find a good deal of dandruff when the hair is washed. There is but one real scientific way of curing dandruff; and that is to kill the germ that causes it, the itching hair, and finally baldness. There is only one preparation that will kill the germ, and that is New Herpicide. It is an entirely new remedy, and the only hair preparation based on the new scientific principle. In addition, Herpicide is a refreshing hair dressing for repellent use. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10 cents in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit.

north of Spencerville, in section 1 of that township, the Pittsburgh Oil Company's No. 3, S. A. Leister was cased a 40-barrel well. The Delphos Hoop Company has a 25-well in No. 3, J. W. Rupert, in section 10, Spencer.

In the southwestern corner of Hancock county, a couple of very good wells have been secured. D. W. Orman's best on the Mary Orman farm, in section 26 of Union township, cased at 60 barrels.

The Ohio Oil Company's No. 3, Levi Orman, in section 27, Union, was a 50-barrel.

Mr. J. H. Little & Jones' No. 6 on the E. E. Orman farm, section 26 Union, made 39 barrels the first day.

The Cleveland-Hancock Oil Company's No. 8, Mary Powell, in section 26 of Hazle township, is rated a 20-barrel.

Water in Black Creek township in Hancock county, the Butler Oil Company completed a well on the L. E. Butler farm, four miles east of Chattahoochee, and it is a light producer, started at 10 barrels.

Musselman, Butler & Company's No. 3, on the H. Butler farm, section 20 Black Creek cased for about 15 barrels.

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